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Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of
1989 Satellite Carrier Royalty
Distribution Proceedings

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) Docket No. 91-1-89SCD
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COMMENTS OF PUBLIC BROADCASTING SERVICE
ON EXISTENCE OF CONTROVERSY

Public Broadcasting Service ("PBS") respectfully submits its response to the Tribunal's Notice, published at 56 Fed. Reg. 37,530 (Aug. 7, 1991), seeking comments on the existence of a controversy concerning the 1990 satellite carrier fund.

Comments on Existence of Controversy

Although PBS intends to work with other parties to attempt to achieve a partial or complete settlement concerning distribution of the 1990 satellite carrier royalty fund, PBS has not reached agreement with any other party concerning that matter.

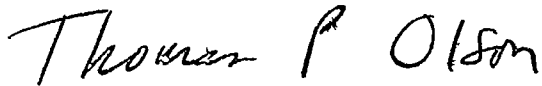
Notice of Intent to Participate

PBS hereby notifies the Tribunal that it intends to participate in the 1990 satellite carrier royalty distribution proceeding.

Comments on combination of 1989 and 1990 proceedings

PBS supports the idea of combining the 1989 and 1990 proceedings, which should help to reduce the burden and expense of litigation for all parties.

Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that I have today arranged for service by U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, of a copy of the foregoing Comments of Public Broadcasting Service on the Existence of Controversy to the persons named on the attached service list.

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